

In the Claims:

Kindly amend the claims as follows:

Please cancel claims 1-10.

11. (currently amended) A portable auxiliary vehicle/ automobile warning device capable of being installed/ deployed and/ or removeably secured by the user by simply reaching out of the window to set the device on the roof of the vehicle, comprising:

a flexible housing;

a visual display means on said housing, said visual display means for providing at least one message; and

a means for removably securing said housing to the roof of the vehicle;

wherein said housing and said visual display means are ~~waterproof and~~ configured to be manipulated by a single hand of the user.

12. (original) The device of claim 11, wherein said housing is partitioned into separate joined sections.

13. (original) The device of claim 12, wherein said separate joined sections number three.

14. (original) The device of claim 12, wherein said separate joined sections fold upon one another.

15. (original) The device of claim 11, wherein said visual display means is a series of light emitting diodes.

16. (original) The device of claim 15, wherein said light emitting diodes are recessed into said housing.

17. (original) The device of claim 16, wherein said light emitting diodes are completely recessed into said housing.

18. (currently amended) The device of claim 14, wherein said visual display means is a series of light emitting diodes that are completely recessed into said housing so that said light emitting diodes are not broken or crushed when said separate joined sections fold upon one another.

19. (original) The device of claim 11, wherein said housing, said visual display means, and said means for removably securing said housing to the roof of the vehicle are lightweight.

20. (original) The device of claim 11, wherein said means for removeably securing said housing to the roof of the vehicle maintains said housing in an upright position, perpendicular to the horizontal plane of the roof of the vehicle.

21. (canceled)

22. (canceled)

23. (canceled)

24. (original) The device of claim 11, wherein said housing is small enough to fit in the glove compartment of a conventional automobile measuring roughly 1 ½ feet by 1 foot.

25. (new) The device of claim 13, wherein said separate joined sections each are dimensioned 1 ½ feet by 1 foot.

26. (new) The device of claim 13, wherein at least one of said separate joined sections is dimensioned 1 ½ feet by 1 foot.

27. (new) The device of claim 12, wherein said separate joined sections each are dimensioned 1 ½ feet by 1 foot.
28. (new) The device of claim 11, further comprising a control circuit wired to the interior of the vehicle from said housing and said visual display means.
29. (new) The device of claim 27, wherein said control circuit comprises a plurality of switches, each of said plurality of switches controlling a light source in said visual display means.
30. (new) A portable auxiliary vehicle/ automobile warning device capable of being installed/ deployed and/ or removeably secured by the user by simply reaching out of the window to set the device on the roof of the vehicle, comprising:
a flexible housing partitioned into separate joined sections wherein separate joined sections fold upon one another without damaging said visual display means;
a visual display means on said housing, said visual display means for providing at least one message;
a means for removably securing said housing to the roof of the vehicle;
wherein said housing and said visual display means are configured to be manipulated by a single hand of the user; and
a mounting means configured to receive said housing.
31. (new) The device of claim 30, wherein said mounting means is comprised of:
a groove to hold the housing at the top of said mounting means;
a magnetic holder at the bottom to affix said housing and said visual display means temporarily to the roof of the vehicle.